To Whom it May Concern:

Thank you for writing the Alaska Public Lands Information Center for information on homesteading or obtaining land in Alaska.

The federal government does not offer any land for homesteading in Alaska.

The State of Alaska, through the Department of Natural Resources, has, in the recent past, offered several programs that convey land to private individuals. These have included the homestead, agricultural homestead, homesite and lottery programs. The State of Alaska Division of land has some parcels available for sale over-the-counter. For more information contact:

Alaska Department of Natural Resources 550 W. 7th Ave. Street, Suite 1260 Anchorage, AK 99501 (907) 269-8400 TDD (907) 269-8411 Internet: http://www.state.ak.us.

Some municipalities such as cities, boroughs (the Alaskan "county") and universities conduct land sales or lotteries in which parcels are sold at fair market value. Contact a phone directory for listings in the area being considered.

Another frequently used method of obtaining land is through the private sector. Real estate companies and classified ads are good places to research land availability. Look under land, acreage or recreational properties in the real estate section of the classifieds.

Also Native Corporations may have land for sale. Contact a phone directory for listings in the area being considered.

See the reverse side of this letter for names and addresses of agencies and newspapers that may have land sale information in your area of interest.

Sincerely,

John Morris Manager

Other Agencies/Contacts for Purchasing Land in Alaska

Realtors

The Alaska Association of Realtors and The Anchorage Board of Realtors 741 Sesame, Suite 100 Anchorage, AK 99503 Anchorage Board: (907) 563-7133 Alaska Assoc. (907) 561-2338

Greater Fairbanks Board of Realtors 1440 Gillam Way Fairbanks, AK 99701 (907) 452-7743 (907) 452-7746 FAX

University of Alaska

University of Alaska Statewide Office of Land Management 3890 University Lake Drive Anchorage, AK 99508-4638 (907) 786-7766

Newspapers

Anchorage Daily News P.O. Box 149001 Anchorage, AK 99514-9001 (907) 257-4200

Fairbanks Daily News Miner P.O. Box 70710 Fairbanks, AK 99707 (907) 456-6661

Juneau Empire 3100 Channel Juneau, AK 99801 (907) 586-3740

Municipal

Bristol Bay Borough Land Management P.O. Box 189 Naknek, AK 99633 (907) 246-4224

Denali Borough P.O. Box 480 Healy, AK 99743 (907) 683-1330

Fairbanks North Star Borough Property Management P.O. Box 71267 Fairbanks, AK 99707 (907) 459-1241

Haines Borough P.O. Box 1209 Haines, AK 99827 (907) 766-2711

Kenai Peninsula Borough Land Management P.O. Box 850 144 N. Binkley Street Soldotna, AK 99669 (907) 262-4441

Ketchikan Gateway Borough 344 Front Street Ketchikan, AK 99901 (907) 228-6610

Kodiak Island Borough Resource Management 710 Mill Bay Road Kodiak, AK 99615 (907) 486-9302

Matanuska-Susitna Borough Land Management Division 350 E. Dahlia Avenue Palmer, AK 99645 (907) 745-9879